

1 A RESOLUTION honoring rabbits.

2 WHEREAS, it is rightful that this body honor rabbits on this day, and in so doing
3 acknowledge the many ways rabbits enrich our lives; and

4 WHEREAS, it is believed that a rabbit's foot is lucky—or that it might bring great
5 *hop*-ortunity to its owner; and

6 WHEREAS, rabbits have long played key roles in folk tales, from Br'er Rabbit to
7 Bugs Bunny to Lewis Carroll's White Rabbit, who famously noted "How long is forever?
8 Sometimes, just one second"; and

9 WHEREAS, rabbits are inarguably delicious; and

10 WHEREAS, the Easter Bunny is both a magical symbol in folklore and, to children
11 visiting him in America's shopping malls, mildly upsetting; and

12 WHEREAS, rabbits are incredibly prolific, and are among the tamest and most
13 docile creatures in nature, so uncaring that they can lose footraces to much slower
14 animals that they should not logically lose and take it in stride; and

15 WHEREAS, for these reasons and many more, this body acknowledges the place
16 rabbits play both in our real lives and in the fictional imaginings created by our great
17 writers, and in so doing commends rabbits for serving as a symbol of life, of spring's
18 enduring beauty, and of the extraordinary wonder of nature;

19 NOW, THEREFORE,

20 ***Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the***
21 ***Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

22 ➔Section 1. The members of the House of Representatives hereby honor rabbits.

23 ➔Section 2. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a
24 copy of this Resolution to Representative Scott Wells.